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For : Two Phase Thermally Deformable Biocompatible Absorbable Polymer Matrix
for Use in Medical Devices

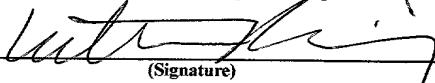
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PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF PHOTOGRAPHS

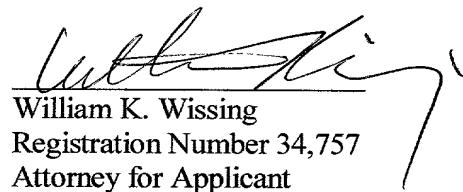
Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for the acceptance of the attached:

- a black and white photograph to illustrate the present invention. This photograph illustrates the visual cue provided by the present invention for a medical plate.

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